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To the several Sheriffs, Constables, and other Officers, of the Province of Maryland.

WHEREAS, on the 22d of this Instant February, a Schooner Vessel, capable of carrying about 1000 Bushels of Grain, and having on board a large Quantity of Chocolate, and sundry other Goods, was deserted by her Crew, and taken up at Mr. Blackiston's in St. Mary's County, in the Province aforesaid, where she now lies. And whereas two Men, supposed to have deserted the said Vessel, went from the said Blackiston's, up the Road to Choptico, one of them an Irishman, well set, fresh colour'd, having a clear Skin, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 10 Inches high, and said his Name was *Newton*: The other is thought to be an Englishman, of near the same Height, and went by the Name of *Jones*. They were taken up at Choptico, as Runaways, and being carried before Capt. Zachariah Bond, one of the Justices of St. Mary's County, they produced a Pass, signed by *Ward*, a Justice of North Carolina, and also by *Spencer Ball*, a Justice of Westmoreland County, Virginia; which occasion'd the said Capt. Bond, not only to discharge the said Men, but likewise to sign the said Pass, as aforesaid: Since which it appears, that the said Vessel, was as aforesaid deserted; and that the above said *Newton* and *Jones* were the last on board, at the Time of such Desertion.

It is further to be remark'd, that on the 23d Instant, their Passes were signed by Mr. *Hawkins*; on the 24th, by Mr. *Arnold*; and on the 25th, they applied to Mr. *Chapman* at *London-Town*, to sign the same; who finding them in different stories, refused to do it: Whereupon they relinquish'd their Design of coming to *Annapolis*, and procured an Almanack to direct them in the Road to *Philadelphia*. They were flush of Money: *Newton's* right Eye is black, occasion'd by a Blow; he has a large Scar on his under Lip; and is lame in his right Ankle.

Wherefore, in order to discover to whom the said Vessel and Goods do belong; and for the apprehending the said two Persons, supposed to have run away from the said Vessel (and from several concurring Circumstances suspected to have murder'd the Master of the said Vessel), that they may be dealt with according to Law: These are to require you, and every of you, to search diligently within your respective Precincts for the said *Newton* and *Jones*; and to make Hue and Cry after them from Town to Town, and from County to County, as well by Horsemen as Footmen: And if you find the said *Newton* and *Jones*, or either of them, the same to apprehend, and carry before some Provincial Magistrate, or Justice of the County where they or either of them shall be taken. And hereof fail not, at your Peril. Given under my Hand and Seal, this 27th Day of February, 1750||1.

JOHN BRICE.

Philadelphia, December 25, 1750.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Trustees of the ACADEMY of Philadelphia, interd (God willing) to open the same on the first Monday of January next; wherein Youth will be taught the Latin, Greek, English, French, and German Language; together with History, Geography, Chronology, Logic, and Rhetoric; also Writing, Arithmetic, Merchants Accounts, Geometry, Algebra, Surveying, Gauging, Navigation, Astronomy, Drawing in Perspective, and other mathematical sciences; with natural and mechanic Philosophy, &c. agreeable to the Constitutions heretofore published, at the Rate of Four Pounds per Annum, and Twenty Shillings Entrance.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *John Little*, living at *Bachelors Race*, in *Anne Arundel* County, taken up as a stray, a small Bay pacing Gelding, with a Star in his Fore head, and a Snip on his Nose, some white spots under his right Ear, has large Ears, a hanging Mane and switch Tail, branded on the off Buttock something like this □ but not very plain.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Baltimore County, February 24, 1751.

THIS is to give Notice, That I have in my Possession, a Sorrel Horse, supposed to be stolen out of *Fairfax* County in Virginia, by one *Anthony Guibard*; he has a narrow Blaze in the Face, and is very dull, paces slow with a Hunch, thick Head and clumsy Legs, and no Brand.

Whoever owns the said Horse, may have him in good Order, on paying Charges, and applying to

WILLIAM YOUNG.

N. B. I wrote to one Mr. *Wren* soon after I had the Horse, but received no Answer.

TO BE SOLD to the Highest Bidder, at Lower Marlborough, by the Subscribers, for Sterling or Current Money, on Thursday the 21st Day of March,

THE Dwelling House, Out Houses and Lot, where Mr. *Hardy* formerly liv'd, in the said Town of *Lower-Maryborough*.

DAVID ARNOLD,
JAMES RUSSELL.

TO BE SOLD, or Let on Freight to any Part of the West-Indies,

ASLOOP almost new, well Found, and will carry upwards of 2000 Bushels of Grain, beside her Necessary Provisions, &c.

Any Person or Persons who incline to Buy or Freight the said Sloop, may apply to *WILLIAM GOVANE*, Merchant, in *Baltimore Town*, where she may be view'd.

February 26, 1751.

WHEREAS this is my last Year of Collection on my Sheriffs Office, and being willing to Ease the People as much as is in my Power, and give them Satisfaction, (as I hope I have hitherto done). I therefore give this public Notice, that I will (unless some unforeseen Accident should prevent me), meet at the House of Capt. *John Hammond*, on *Elk-Ridge*, on the 20th and 21st Days of next Month, and at the House of Mr. *John Conner*, on the 25th and 26th Days of the same Month, and at the House of Mrs. *Sarah Rowles*, on the 3d Day of April next, in order to receive the County Dues, from such Persons as are disposed to pay the same, and I shall be much obliged to all Persons that are Indebted to me for Tobacco on their Sheriffs Accounts, that they will take due Care to make Payment, by the Time the Law Directs, or else such Measures as are Legal will be taken to secure such Debts as shall be due after that Time; for it cannot be expected, that I should lie so long out of my Tobacco as to put it in some other Sheriffs Hands to collect, which would be a Loss to their

Very humble Servant,

JOHN GASSAWAY,
Sheriff of *Anne Arundel* Co.

N. B. Constant Attendance will be given at my Office, on Tuesday's and Wednesday's in every Week.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. *Alexander Cromwell* near *Patapsco*, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Horse with a blackish Mane and Tail, his Mane standing and hanging, and a long sprig Tail, Paces slow, and has no Brand that can be discern'd.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

LOST on the 16th of last November, supposed to be dropped, in going out of the House of Mr. *Samuel Soumaien* into his Garden, a small Silver Watch, the Maker's Name *COPE, LONDON*; to which was a Watch-Key, tied by a strip'd Ribbon, much soiled.

Whoever has found the said Watch, and will bring it to Mr. *Soumaien*, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward. If pawn'd or sold, your Money again, with Thanks; and on discovering the Person who pawn'd or sold the same, so as he or she may be convicted thereof, Twenty Shillings Reward.